

R -parity Violation and Light Neutralinos at ANUBIS and MAPP

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A Massless Neutralino

Neutralino Mass Bound

- Lower neutralino mass bound

[Abdallah, et al. 2003]
arXiv:hep-ex/0311019

$$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} > 46 \text{ GeV}$$

based on chargino mass bounds (and subsequently $|\mu|$ and M_2), and unification of gauge couplings at large energy scale

$$M_1 = \frac{5}{3} \tan^2 \theta_W M_2 \approx \frac{1}{2} M_2$$

- Dropping the assumption, M_1 is a free parameter and light, bino-like neutralinos are possible and consistent with laboratory bounds

[Dreiner, et al. 2009]
arXiv:0901.3485

- Cosmological bounds exclude a stable light neutralino

[Dreiner, et al. 2009] [Barman, et al. 2017]
arXiv:0901.3485 arXiv:1703.03838

$$0.7 \text{ eV} < m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} < 34 \text{ GeV}$$

RPV Superpotential W

$$W_{RPV} = \kappa_i L_i H_u + \lambda_{ijk} L_i L_j \bar{E}_k + \lambda'_{ijk} L_i Q_j \bar{D}_k + \lambda''_{ijk} \bar{U}_i \bar{D}_j \bar{D}_k$$

Estimated Number of Neutralino Events

Decay Topology

- Prompt $M \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + X$, Displaced $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow M + l$
- Assume that neutralino is LSP, produced singularly and degenerate sfermion masses

Simulation Procedure

- Produced neutralinos

$$N_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}^{\text{prod}} = \sum_M N_M \cdot \Gamma(M \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + X) \cdot \tau_M$$

- Observable neutralinos

$$N_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}^{\text{obs}} = N_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}^{\text{prod}} \cdot \text{Br}(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \text{charged}) \cdot \langle P[\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \text{ in d.r.}] \rangle$$

→ 2 non-zero couplings λ'_{ijk} are required

- Use Pythia 8.243 for a Monte Carlo simulation

$$\langle P[\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \text{ in d.r.}] \rangle = \frac{1}{N_{MC}} \sum_i^{N_{MC}} e^{-\frac{L_{T,i}}{\lambda_i}} \cdot \left(1 - e^{-\frac{L_{I,i}}{\lambda_i}} \right)$$

- Assume zero background and 100% detection efficiency

ANUBIS - AN Underground Belayed In-Shaft search experiment

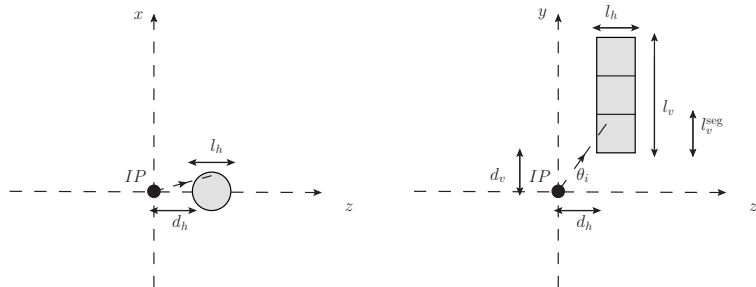


Figure: A sketch of the geometry of ANUBIS from a sideways- and topdown-view [Hirsch, Wang 2020
arXiv:2001.04750]

Geometry

- Cylindrical detector in PX14 installation shaft: $d_v = 24$ m ($d_h = 5$ m), $l_v = 56$ m ($l_h = 18$ m), $l_v^{\text{seg}} = 18.67$ m
- 4 tracking stations divide into 3 segments
- Integrated luminosity 3 ab^{-1}

Approximating Fiducial Volume

[Hirsch, Wang 2020]
arXiv:2001.04750

- A segment is missed for

$$\tan \theta_i \leq \frac{d_v + (j-1) \cdot l_v^{\text{seg}}}{d_h + l_h}, \quad \tan \theta_i \geq \frac{d_v + j \cdot l_v^{\text{seg}}}{d_h}$$

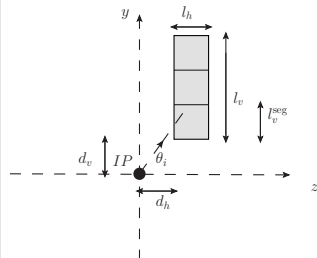
- 3 contributions P_j from each segment

$$P[(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)_i \text{ in d.r.}] = \sum_{j=1}^3 \frac{\delta \phi^j}{2\pi} \cdot e^{-\frac{L_{T,i}^j}{\lambda_i^z}} \cdot \left(1 - e^{-\frac{L_{I,i}^j}{\lambda_i^z}}\right)$$

- Lengths projected onto beam axis are

$$L_{T,i}^j = \min \left[\max \left(d_h, \frac{d_v + (j-1) \cdot l_v^{\text{seg}}}{\tan \theta_i} \right), d_h + l_h \right]$$

$$L_{I,i}^j = \min \left[\max \left(d_h, \frac{d_v + j \cdot l_v^{\text{seg}}}{\tan \theta_i} \right), d_h + l_h \right] - L_{T,i}^j$$



MAPP - MoEDAL Apparatus for the detection Penetrating Particles

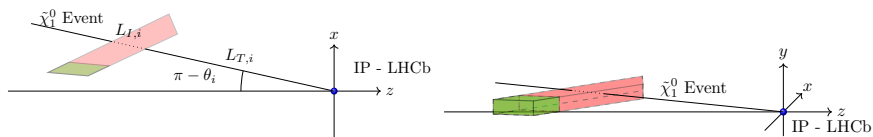


Figure: Sketch of the experimental setup of MAPP1 and MAPP2 [Dreiner, Günther, Wang 2020
arXiv:2008.07539]

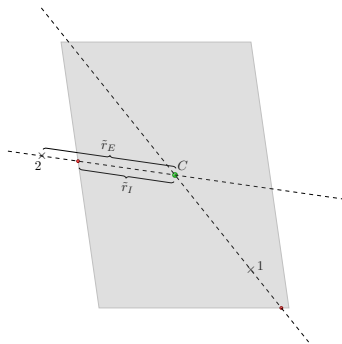
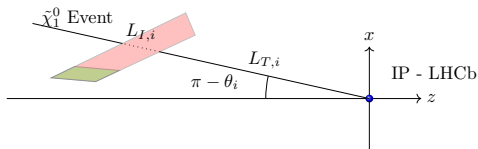
Geometry

- Located in UGCI gallery at IP8 next to MoEDAL
- Variable position of MAPP1, 5° to 25°
- Integrated luminosities 30 fb^{-1} and 300 fb^{-1}

MAPP - Decay Probability

Irregular Orientation of MAPP

- Especially MAPP2 is not well approximated
- ΔL between IP and Detector ~ 30 m
- An application computes L_T and L_I



Observation Condition

- Event angles (ϕ, θ) characterize a line hitting the extended plane of detector surface
→ plane hit at \mathbf{x}_{Hit}
- If $\tilde{r}_E = |\mathbf{x}_{\text{Hit}} - \mathbf{x}_C| < \tilde{r}_I$, surface is hit

Benchmark 1

- Production via λ'_{122}

$$D_s^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + e^\pm$$

- Neutralino Decay via λ'_{112} and λ'_{122}
Visible final states:

$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow e^\pm + (K^\mp, K^{*\mp}) \quad \text{via } \lambda'_{112}$$

Invisible final states:

$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \begin{cases} \nu_e + (\eta, \eta', \phi) & \text{via } \lambda'_{122} \\ \nu_e + (K_L^0, K_S^0, K^{*0}) & \text{via } \lambda'_{112} \end{cases}$$

Benchmark 2

- Production via λ'_{131}

$$B^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + \nu_e$$

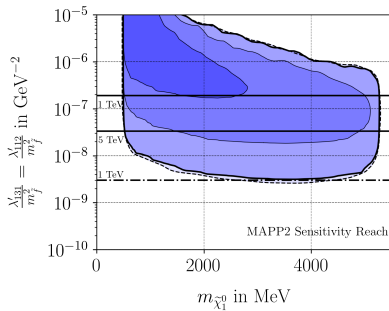
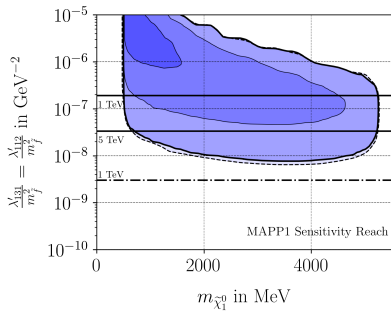
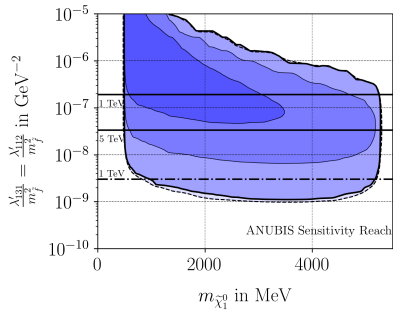
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Visible final states:

$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow e^\pm + (K^\mp, K^{*\mp})$$

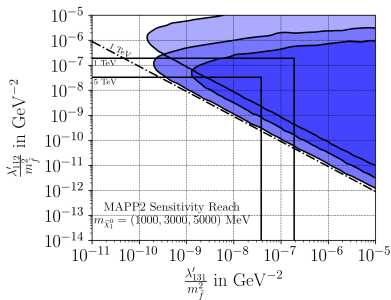
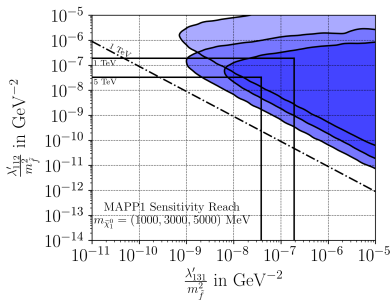
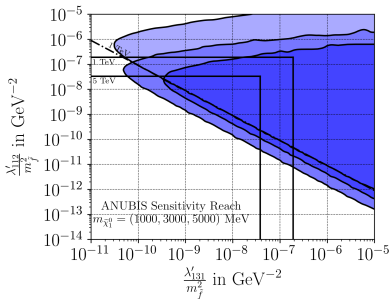
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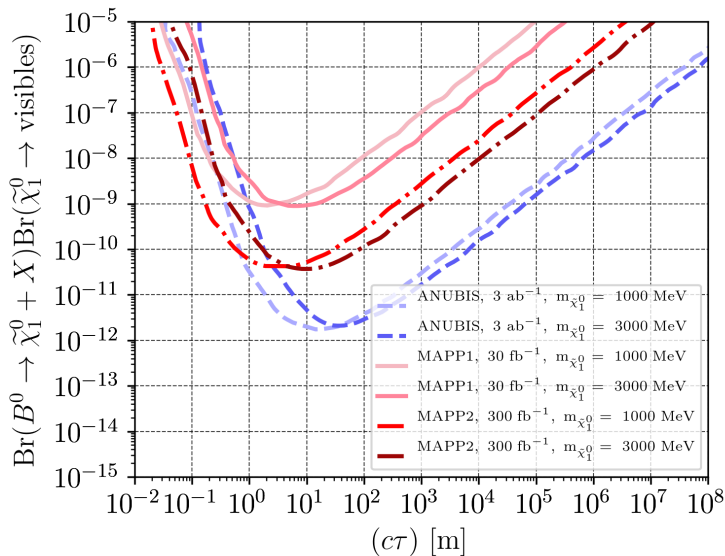
$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \nu_e + (K_L^0, K_S^0, K^{*0})$$

λ'/m_f^2 vs. $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$

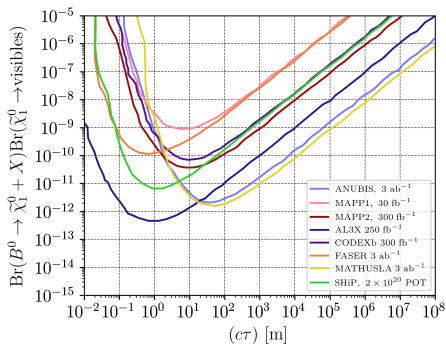
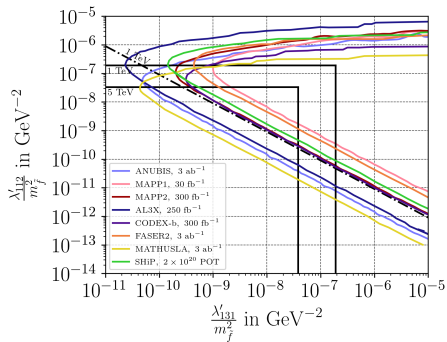


$\lambda'_D/m_{\tilde{f}}^2$ vs. $\lambda'_P/m_{\tilde{f}}^2$





Comparison, $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} = 3000 \text{ MeV}$

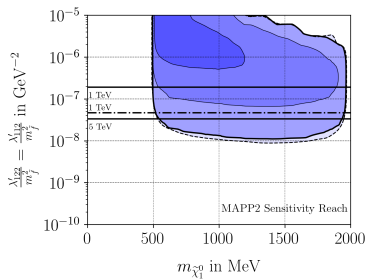
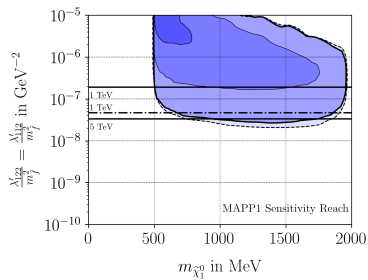
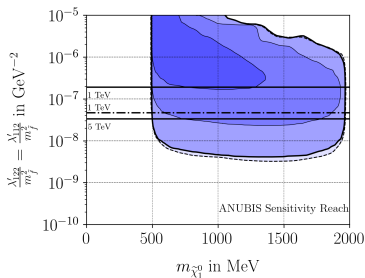


Conclusion

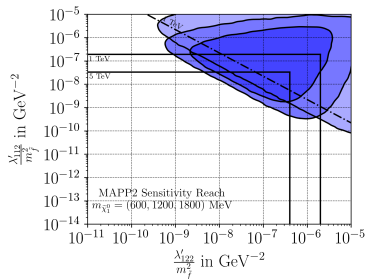
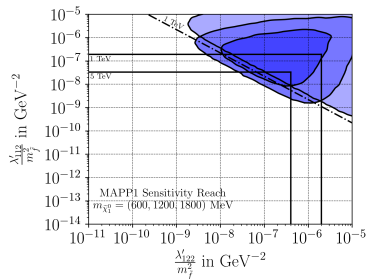
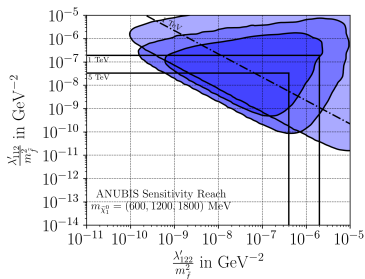
- Large luminosity at HL-LHC allows for LLP discovery.
- Both ANUBIS and MAPP are sensitive to light neutralinos in R -parity violating supersymmetry beyond current bounds ($M \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + X$, $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow M + l$)
- MAPP2 extends sensitivity of MAPP1 significantly, ANUBIS is most promising
- Compared ANUBIS and MAPP to other proposed experiments the sensitivity reach is complementary, but differs in optimal decay lengths
- Br vs. $c\tau$ estimates are extendable to related decay topologies

Thank you!

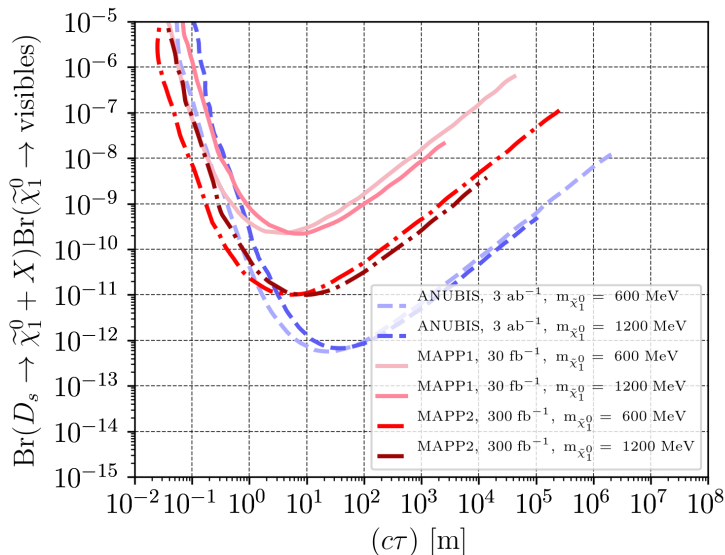
Charmed Benchmark - λ'/m_f^2 vs. $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$



Charmed Benchmark - λ'_{D}/m_f^2 vs. λ'_{P}/m_f^2



Charmed Benchmark - Br vs. $c\tau$



Comparison, $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} = 1200 \text{ MeV}$

